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In re Application of:

M. VALIX

Serial No.: 09/402,362

Group Art Unit: 1761

Date Filed: October 4, 1999

Examiner: R. Madsen

Title: **FOOD GRADE WAX AND PROCESS FOR PREPARING THE SAME**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time;
- (3) Request for Continued Examination transmittal;
- (4) Response and Amendment;
- (5) Check no. 18272 in the amount of \$930.00 for the Extension of Time fee;
- (6) Check no. 18273 in the amount of \$750.00 for the Request for Continued Examination fee.

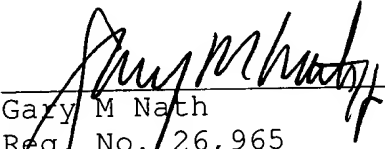
The Commissioner, in connection with this matter, is specifically authorized to charge any required fee deficiency or credit any overpayment under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

Respectfully submitted,

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